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Re:	Application of:	Romero et al.
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	For:	Improved Testing Implementation for Signal Characterization
	Group Art Unit:	2858
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REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT OF APPEAL

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.193(b)(2)

Sir:

In connection with the Office Action mailed February 18, 2004 in the above-entitled patent application, the Applicants respectfully request reinstatement of an appeal. The Applicants filed a Notice of Appeal on September 16, 2003 and an Appeal Brief on November 17, 2003. On February 18, 2004, the Examiner issued a Non-Final Office Action. The Applicants have filed herewith a request for a one (1) month extension in which to file a response, from May 18, 2004 to June 18, 2004, and a Supplemental Brief on Appeal, along with three (3) copies of the supplemental brief.